HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1884.

Established February, 1845.

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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STREET & Co., 30, Combill. GORDON & Goton, Ludgate Circus, E.C. Bates Hendy & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. PARIS AND EUROPE:-GALLIEN &

PRINCE, 36, Rue Lafayette, Paris.

NEW YORK:—Andrew Wind, 21, Park ceived by the Undersigned until Noon on SATURDAY, the 14th Instant. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :-- GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-

bourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: Bean & Black, San Fran-SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.:—SAYLE &

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#### Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000. Instalment received on 2,074,744.75 New Shares,....

\$7,074,744.75 \$2,500,000. RESERVE FUND,.... Instalment of Premium fe- 1 1,563,361.66 ceived on New Shares,...

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-A. P. McEwen, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Hon. F. D. Sassoon. U. D. BOTTOMLEY, | M. GROTE, Esq. A. Gültzow, Esq. DALKYMPLE, Hon. W. KESWICK. A. McIven, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. M. E. SASSOON, Esq.

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CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,.....Thomas Jackson, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai......Ewen Cameron, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate

of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily For Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent, " "

o per cent. "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drufts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Ohief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, April 2, 1884.

#### Intimations.

D. K. GRIFFITH HAS OPENED HIS NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO, No. 1, Duddell Street. In rear of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China.

THE NEW RAPID DRY PLATES, he is now working, are Twenty Times quicker than the Old process and make Protraiture of Children easy and certain to secure. The Studio is open daily, and Portraits are taken in any weather at Moderate Charges, while every care is taken to procure permanency of the prints.

NEW VIEWS OF HONGKOND AND THE COAST PORTS ALWAYS READY. Hongkong, May 24, 1884.

1,450 Prizes. £50,000, 1,450 Prizes. THE SYDNEY JOCKLY TURF CLUB'S MELBOURNE CUP CONSULTATION-1884.

MEMBERS £1 - - - - - EACH To be run on the Flemington Race Course, Melbourne, in November, 1884. Distribution as follows: First Horse....£8,0001 10 Cash Prizes,£200 cach,£2,000 | Record Horse...4,000 30 , 100 , 3,000 |

Third Horse, .... 2,000 50 ... Other Starters 200 ... (divided) ..... (divided) .... 1,500 200 ,, (divided) .... 1,500 500 ,, 1 Cash Prize .... 2,000 5,000 10 ,, Total.....£50,000 2 Cash Prizes £1,000 cach ... 2,000 8 Cash Prizes

THE SYDNEY JOCKEY TURF Beg to inform the Sporting Public of China that they have made arrangements for holding a £50,000 Consultation on the forthcoming Melbourne Cur of 1884, when about 1,400 PRIZES will be awarded to the Fortunate Holders of the winning Numbers. The Highest Prize being £8,000; and the Lowest £10. Less 15 per cent, for expenses. Winning Numbers can be forward. ed for payment or collection to the Manager of any Bank, either in Sydney (N. S. Wales), or Melbourne (Victoria). Drawing will take place under the Committee of Management, about four clear days before the Day of Race. Result Slips are forwarded to all Subscribers. Any Subscriber can be present at the drawing either in person or by prory, on making application to the Secretary in writing. Add 1/ for Reply and Result. Drafts or P. O. Orders to be made payable to JAMES WALLACE, Secretary, S. J. T. C., 209, Oxford Street, Sydney,

NOTICE OF REMOVAL

ON and after the First June next, the STORE of the Undersigned will be REMOVED to the Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. BCA DA SILVA & Co., No. 48, Queen's Road.

H. FOURNIER & Co., Storekeepers & Wine Merchants. Hongkong, May 1, 1884.

Intimations.

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

TENDERS for Docking, Caulking, Re-METALLING and REPARTING the HULL Further Particulars can be obtained at the Office of the Company.

T. ARNOLD, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, June 6, 1884.

COLONIE DE LA COCHINCHINE. CONTRIBUTIONS INDIRECTES.

dans sa seance du 28 Décembre dernier. Les personnes qui desireraient établir en fectionnes pour la transformation des riz et autres matères en alcools destines à l'expertation, devront faire parvenir leur demande en autorisation à l'Administration avant le 1er Septembre, 1884, accompagnée des plans et indications propres à permettre d'apprecier l'importance et l'economie de l'établissement projeté.

La Concession aura lieu nux conditions suivantes :— °. La distillerio devra être établie a Saigon ou sur le territoire du 20me arrondissement. Tous les batiments scront construits en mars de briques, couverts en tuiles, attenant les uns aux autres et reunis dans une enceinte parfaitement close. Un logement convenable composé de deux pieces et des depend-

ances necessaires y sera menagé pour le préposé de la Régie. 2'.-La fabrication et la sortie des alcools seront soumises au régime de l'exercise. Le concessionnaire devra se soumettre locale pour la surveillance et le controle

de cette industrie. Pendant trois années et jusqu'à con-currence de 2,000,000 de litres, quel que soit le nombre de establissements portation sera exempte de tous droits dans la Colonie. Passé ce delai, ou une fois le chiffre deux millions de litres atteint, chaque hectolitre d'alcool exporté sera frappé d'un droit de cinquante cents en remplacement de l'impot foncier et pour couvrir les frais de surveillance.

.—Bien que les alcools fabriques dans ves distilleries soient specialement destines a l'exportation, le Concessionnaire pourra, au renouvellement des haux, concourir pour l'exploitation d'une ou plusieurs concessions pour la consommation dans l'interieur de la Colonie, en acquittant les droits et en se sonmettant a la reglementation locale. 5°. - La distillerie devra être prête à onctionner le 1 Janvier, 1585. 6°.—Le gerant devra être agréé par l'Ad-

NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK,

.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and on week-days, 10 to 8 : Saturdays, 10

2.-The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above

-Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year. 1.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations,

of trusts, &c., in addition to the depositor's own account. 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited one dollar.

6. Depositors in the Savings' Bank having 8100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Rongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months | them to the late Firm. at 5 per cent. per annum interest. .- Deposits may be forwarded from the

Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any values, 8.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or with Co.'s Lane. drawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. -

10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, corby the various British Post Offices in Hougkong and China.

-Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book \_All documents connected with the

business of the Savings' Bank are exempt from stamp duty. For the HONGHONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884. WITH Reference to the above, BUSI-NESS will be Commenced on the 1st May, 1884.

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Ohief Manager.

For Sale.

(OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT.)

SUPPLY JUST TO HAND OF

SPRING HOSIERY.

UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS in SILK, THREAD, CRAPE and Cotton GAUZE.

New THREAD and COTTON HALF-HOSE.

New WASHING SCARFS and TIES.

Cochinchine des distilleries à appareils per- The New 'Climax' UMBRELLA, guaranted to wear well. NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S SCOTCH WHISKY, a Very

> Fine Old Spirit, in square bottles. Hongkong, April 19, 1884.

NEW GOODS,

EX LATE ARRIVALS:

TENSINGTON CARPETS, all Wood, SEAMLESS, Bordered and Fringer, in NEW DESIGNS and COLORINGS. These Carrets are INEXPENSIVE and DURABLE and are suitable for Summer use.

a tous les reglements pris par l'autorité GOBELIN TAPESTRY and CREPE CRETONNES in New Designs. REVERSIBLE CRETONNES, Pattern both Sides. - EXCELSIOR SPRING MATTRESSES in all Sizes, to fit any BEDSTEAD.

en exercise, la fabrication pour l'ex- PATENT WOVEN WIRE SPRING MATTRESSES in all Sizes. HAMMOCK CHAIRS. LAWN TENNIS CHAIRS,

CROQUET CHAIRS, CAMP STOOLS,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, May 7, 1884.

Intimations.

WA SUN, PICTURE FRAME MAKER AND GILDERS SSORTED LOOKING GLASSES Fon Sale. VASE STAND MAKER, &c., &c.

No. 19, WELLINGTON STREET,  $oldsymbol{Hougkong}$  . Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

NOTICE.

TERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CLEAN Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their | Ones may do so at the Hongkong & Shangpremises in Hongkong. Business hours HAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date. For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884.

NOTICE.

CIAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the SENIOR PARTNER, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkone will be CLOSED on or before the 31st DAY of AUGUST NEXT, and the whole of the STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 % on the Marked Prices. Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value pur-

chased at one time. All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers are requested to make immediate Payment of Amounts due by

SAYLE & Co., Victoria Exchange, Hongkong. Hongkong, May 30, 1884.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE Undersigned has REMOVED to the rear of his former place of Business. Entrance from Messrs. THRNER & WILLIAM DOLAN.

Hongkong, May 8, 1884. DRY DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, NAGASAKI.

THE Undersigned have been appointed other Remittances, and generally, cor-respondence as to the business of the VERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT Bank will, if marked On Hongkong SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to supply Tenders for the Docking, Cleaning, Couples or Single Persons.

The Table will be supplied with the PAINTING, &c., of VESSELS. The ENGINE Works in connection with the Dockyard are BEST the market can provide. under the direction of experienced Ex-GINERHS and possess all the necessary appli-

ances for Repairs to Ships and Machinery. HOLME, RINGER & Co. Nagasaki, March, 1884.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI B \NKING CORPORATION.

ATOTICE is hereby given that in Accordance with Resolution No. 2 passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held at the City Hall on the 715 30th December, 1882, ALL SHARES NOT TAKEN UP, and the 1st, 2no, 3no and 4TH CALLS paid on or before the SOTH JUNE NEXT, will be disposed of by the Directors in such manner as in their discretion, they shall think best in the Interests of the

Corporation. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, April 24, 1884.

NTOTICE is heroby given that the Annual General MEETING of the VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB will be held in the

Premises of the CLUB on MONDAY NEXT, the 9th June, at 5 p.m. Hon. Secretary,

XXXANTED--An Unrurnished Bedicom

for a Single Man. Address

Hongkong, June 3, 1884. SITUATION WANTED

YOUNG EUROPEAN, who can write 902 A a good hand and who can correspond in the English, French and German LANGUAGES, desires employment. Good References.

> China Mail Office. Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

ITHIS Company now grants passages THROUGH TO LONDON vid Marscilles. including Continental Railway fares, at the same rate as for the route by sea to London, viz., 8380. The fare to Marseilles is now similar to

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March 13, 1884.

THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS on the 1st March. The whole of the ROOMS have been The TABLE will be supplied with the

GENTLEMEN desirous of taking Meals, such as TIFFINS and DINNERS, can have ALL REQUISITE information by applying to

GEORGE STAINFIELD, Proprietor. Hongkong, February 28, 1884.

HOP SHING & Co., FOUNDERS, &c., Hongkong, December 20, 1883.

MESS, are ready to undertake Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced European. Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms. 24th September, 1883.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION ENGLISH, AMERICAN & CANTON MADE FURNITURE, &c., &c. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 9th June, 1884, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of N. A. Siebs, Esq., The

Albany,'-THE WHOLE OF HIS ELEGANT AND VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

consisting of :--

ENGLISH-MADE CRETONNE-COVERED ROSE-WOOD DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, BLACKWOOD CARVED MARBLE & PORCELAIN TOP TABLES, BLACKWOOD CARVED CURIO STAND and WRITING DERK. COTTAGE PIANO, by Lunau, Clocks, MIRRORS, ENGRAVINGS, PAINTINGS, GASA- RUSSELL & Co. LIERS, CARPED, REP and LAGE CURTAINS,

FENDERS and IRONS, &c., &c., &c. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOTS, GLASS, CROCKERY and Plated Ware, Cutlery, &c., &c., &c., &c., &c. STEADS, Double-winged Ladies' Ward-ROBE WITH PLATE GLASS DOOR, CHAIRS, 679 Couches, Marble-top Washing Stands DRESSING TABLES, CHEVAL GLASS, SHANG-

> FLOWERS in POTS, &c., &c., &c. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on and after Saturday next.

TERMS OF SALE. —As customary. G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC AUCTION. RAR. J. M. GUEDES has received in-IVI structions from the Administratrix

of the Estate of the late ALEXANDRE ANTONIO

THURSDAY, the 12th day of June, 1884, at 3 o'Clock p.m., on the Premises,—the following

VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

of Hongkong. All that Piece of GROUND registered in mises me held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 8th day of March, 1858, and will be sold subject to a Lease thereof granted to Mr. Cho Tak

in the Crown Lease thereof. A portion of the purchase money can be advanced on Mortgage of this Property.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to MATTHEW J. D. STEPHENS, Solicitor.

18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong;

Hongkong, May 30, 1884.

PUBLIC AUCTION, TIME Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, the 14th day of June, 1884, at 3 p.m.,-All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND Registered in the Land Office as IN-LANDLOT No. 344, measuring on the North side 54 feet, South and East 45 feet, North and East 66 feet, South and West 96 feet, or 3,645 square feet. Together with the 2 HOUSES known as Nos. 20 and 31, in Mosque Street.

Yearly Crown Rent \$3.16. HOUSE No. 33, in Mosque Junction measuring 154 by 52 feet registered in the Land Office as Subsection No. 2 of Section C of INLAND LOT No. 348.

For Particulars, apply to J. M. GUEDES,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884. For Sale.

FOR SALE. CIX EUROPEAN HOUSES, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, ALEXANDRA TERHACE. Monthly Rent, \$330. Apply to

'A. B.,'
- OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, May 28, 1884. FOR SALE CHEAP. TIVE Hundred to Six Hundred Tons

COKE and COAL TAR, in lots to suit, from one ton upwards. CHOY CHEW, 230, Praya West. Hongkong, June 18, 1883.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & CHAMPAGNE, Quarts .....\$20 per 1 doz. Case. Pints.....\$21 per 2 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) WYTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office.-Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

To Let.

CODOWNS TO LET. PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAR ROAD. For Particulars, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

> TO BE LET. FURNISHED HOUSE in one of the

TERRACES. For Particulars, address J. D. B. e/o. China Mail Office.

Hongkong, March 26, 1884.

TO LET. THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. For further Particulars apply to Messrs.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1883. TO LET.

ATO, 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL. Nos. 7 and 8, SEYMOUR TERHACE. No. 7. GARDEN ROAD (known as 'HAR-PERVILLE'). No. 4, PEDDAR'S HILL.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, May 26, 1884. TO LET, FURNISHED.

TTO LET, FURNISHED, No. 10, Sev-MOUR TERRACE. Apply to MANAGER,

China Mail OFFICE. Hongkong, April 15, 1884. TO BE LET.

NO. 2, DOUGLAS VILLAS, CAINE IN ROAD. No. 6, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE. Possession from 1st May.

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1884.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above for a term of 5 years from the 30th day | Ports on SUNDAY, the 8th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

> Hongkong, June 6, 1884. FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.) THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. The Company's Steamer Taichiow.Capt. James Joedan, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 9th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. Auents.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamsning
Kleiva
will leave for the above
THESDAY, 10th Inst., at 3 p.p.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUI. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. F. Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 10th Instant, at

General Managers. Hongkong, June 6, 1884. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Pirman, will be despatched for the above

General Managers. Hongkong, June 6, 1884. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to: BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Shipping.

Steamers.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. The Steamship Radnorshire. RICKARD, Commander, expected here on or about

For Excight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

the 11th Instant, will have immediate des-

patch for the above Ports.

Hongkong, June 6, 1884. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE, VIA SINGAPORE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-DONIA, FIJI and TASMANIA.) The Eastern and Aus-

tralian Steamship Co.'s chartered Steamer Captain Mann, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 14th June, at 4 p.m. Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. of FRIDAY, 13th Instant. Contents and value of the Packages must

be declared. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR ILOILO AND SANDAKAN. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hamlin, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, May 26, 1884.

Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

Ports on MONDAY, 16th June, at 5 p.m.

UNION LINE. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship

RUSSELL & Co.

Oxfordshire. Captain Jones, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, 16th June. For Freight or Passage, apply to

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE,

VIA FOOOHOW. Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND; through Passage Tickets granted to PORT MORESBY, NEW GUINEA.)

The Steamship

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Captain VARDIN, will be despatched as above on the 18th Instant. This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship

Commandant DELPECH. will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from 1. MARTIN,

Acting Agent.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

Hongkong, June 4, 1884.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Menzaleh. Commandant BEROIS, will be despatched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of

943 the next French Mail from Europe. I. MARTIN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, June 4, 1884.

> Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. German Ship Anna,
> Schildt, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 5, 1884.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship Don Enrique,
McAllister, Master, will lead
here for the above Port, and

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 5, 1884.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884.

NOTICE.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

Apply to 'M. A.,'

899 that charged to Brindisi or Venice, viz.,

WYNDHA! STREET, HONGKONG. THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports that he will RE-OPEN

VERY BEST BRANDS.

ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS,

Intimations.

J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,

<sup>1</sup>A. B. C., Office of the China Mail.

NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS,

The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, both at the Bar and Table, will be of the

COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IROI WEST POINT IRON WORKS. TTAVING This Day commenced Busi-

HAI BATH, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

DOS REMEDIOS, Deceased, to Sell by Public Auction, on

Situate at Sylngpoon, Victoria, in the Colony the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 567. Together with the Fivo Messuages erections and buildings thereon and known as Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10, First Street, Syingpoon, Together also with a Mossuage and Shop erected on the East side of the said piece of ground fronting New East Street. There is a frontage to Second Street occupied as a Timber Yard. Annual Crown Rent £20.19.4. The whole of the said pre-

> of June, 1883, at a monthly rental of 9 a.m. \$150 a month payable quarterly and to the payment of the Crown Rent and to the Covenants and Conditions contained

J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer.

> Hongkong, June 6, 1884. A. McIVER,

> > DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., LIMITED.

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 11th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Thompson, will be despatched as above on or about the 11th Instant.

Hongkong, June 4, 1884,

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

**ALIFORNIA** RACKER JOMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 fb tins, and loose. Soda BISCUITS. Assorted BISOUITS.

Small HOMINY. Cracked WHEAT. OATMEAL:

CORNMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER. Apple BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. CODFISH, Boneless. Crime HAMS and BACON. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. Family BEEF in 25 lb kegs. Peau Ideal SALMON in 5 th cans. Butting's Dessert FRUITS in 21 ib cans. Assorted Cannod VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sansage MEAT. Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted SOUPS.

MEATS.

Lunch HAM. Lambs' TONGUES. Clam CHOWDER, Fresh OREGON SALMON. Dried APPLES. TOMATOES. SUCCOTASH. Maple SYRUP. Goldon SYRUP. LOBSTERS. OYSTERS. HONEY. Assorted JELLIES. Green CORN.

SCALES. FAIRBANKS' 400 lb. Capacity.

900 fb.

CORN BROOMS OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS. AXES and HATCHETS.

AGATE IRON WARE. WAFFLE IRONS. SMOOTHING IRONS.

PAINTS and OILS. TALLOW and TAR. VARNISHES.

## DEVOE'S NONPARIEL BRILLIANT KEROSINE OIL.

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Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

fIIHE Steamship Japan having arrived THIS Mail Issue is chiefly compiled from I from the above Ports, Consignees the daily China Mail, is published of Cargo are hereby requested to send Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

Consignees are hereby informed that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 12th

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, June 6, 1884.

> UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND - SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Principia, Captain Ker-EUISH, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 9th Inst., or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

AND SINGAPORE THE Steamship Glenartney having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded uness'notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 2nd June. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 9th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

#### Notices to Consignees.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Steamship Lennox having arrived I from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Triumph, for Hollow. countersignature, and to take immediate | Anton, for Heihow. delivery of their Goods. at once landed and stored at Consignoes'

risk and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 3, 1884.

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

THE Steamship Glenearn having arrived Massalia, for Mantong. from the above Ports, Consignees Nam-vian, for Haiphong, of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

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To-day's Advertisements.

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ARRIVALS.

June 6, 1884 :--Alteine, German steamer, 400, Moos, Quinhon May 31, and Hoihow June 5, General.—Wieler & Co.

H.I.C.M.S. Chi-an, 850, Tang Yew, Foo 910 chow June 2.

#### Chin-tung, Chinese steamer, from Canton. Namoa, British steamer, 863, Geo. D. Pitman, Foochow June 3, Amoy 4, and Swatow 6. General.—Douglas STRAMSHIP

DEPARTURES.

June 7:-

CLEARED

PASSENGERS.

Por Alwine, from Quinhon, 12 Chinese.

Teow Seow Seak and Yea Hock Cheow, and

Per Menzalch, from Yokohama, Mr Da

DEPARTED.

Oninesan, and Mr W. Scott.

Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs

Messageries Martines.

U.S.S. Monocacy, for Shanghai

Esmeralda; for Amoy and Manila.

Don Juan, for Amoy and Manila.

Thibet, for Nagasaki, &c. Crusuder, for Chefoo.

Kung-pui, for Shanghai-

Taichiow, for Bangkok.

Tholes, for Swatow, &c.

Bengloe, for Nagasaki.

Silh, for Saigon.

198 Chinese.

Daniel, for Amoy.

Lennox, for Keelung.

Menzalch, Fronch stoamer, 1,276, Benois Yokohama June 1, Mails and General.

FROM CALGUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

Martha, for Victoria, B.C. Cargo impeding the discharge will be

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911 vidson, sister and family, Mr Atwell, Miss Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

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from Marseilles.

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SHIPPING.

June 7 :--

#### Per Esmeralda, for Amoy and Manila, 2 Europeans, and 80 Chinese. Per Don Juan, for Amoy and Manila, European, and 60 Chinese. Per Kung-pai, for Shanghai, 1 European.

TO DEPART. Per Taichiow, for Bangkok, 20 Chinese. Por Lennox, for Keelung, 1 European, and 2 Chinese. Per Thales, for Swatow, &c., 100 Chinese.

Per Martha, for Victoria, B.C., 145 Chi

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Namoa reports Left Fouchow on 3rd, Amoy on 4th, and Swatow on 6th inst.; and experienced fresh and moderate N. and E. winds with fine weather throughout. In Foochow: S. S. Killarney, Ningchow, Glengarry, Gleneagles, Tamsui, Sucz, and Benarty. In Amoy: S. S. Folien, and H.B.M.S. Swift. In Swatow S. Cairnsmuir, Taisang, Fushun, Chi Yuen, and Keelung. The French steamer Menzalch reports: Fine weather throughout.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

S & C, 15772, I case Dyes, Order, from For SWATOW, AMOY, AND TAIWAN-Per Thales, at 8.39 a.m., on Sunday, the

> 948 For HOIHOW AND HAIPHONG.-Per Nam-vian, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 8th inst., instead of as previously notified.

> > Per Taichiow, at 7.30 a.m., on Monday, the 9th inst. FOR STRAITS AND BOMBAY. Per Khira, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

For BANGKOK,-

the 10th inst., instead of as previously notified. FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL-Per Fokien, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

FOR STRAITS AND CALCUTTA .--

the 10th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-Per Namoa, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 11th inst.

Per Wingsang, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 14th inst. High water at Whampon: 2 hrs. 30 MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet Arabic, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 9th June, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be

closed as follows:---2.15 p.m. Registry ceases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FEENCH PACKET.-

The French Contract Packet Ocus will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 12th June, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, via Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlemente, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, &c.

Day of departure,-

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.— The United States Mail Packet City of aspects of the trade in a clearer light, Pelving, will be despatched on MON- derived from a perusal of the latest Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:---2.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

Postage until the time of departure. Hours of Closing

Packet:--Day before departure (or Saturday if the de- would be done. The cause of the Antiparture be on Monday),-5 P.M. -- Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the open out of Office hours.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

A.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late 11.10 A.M.—Letters may be posted with out of Purliament began to consider

Late Fee of 10 cents until

11.30 A.M.—When the Post Office closes was a grave scandal, and were not slow 11.40 A.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Lato Fee of 10 cents until time of

A.M. - Post Office opens.

MEMOS. FOR TO MORROW. Shipping.

9 s.m. - Thales leaves for Swatow, &c. religious services :--ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL -Rev. W. Jen-

4th in the month. Military Service .- Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A., Military Chaplain. Parade Service at 8 A.M. Holy Communion on the second Sunday at the conclusion of the Parade Service. Chalmors, M.A., L.L.D.

Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A., Chaplain. Service on the public mind. A further study at 6 r.m. Holy Communion after Service perhaps of human nature and of the on the third Sunday in each month. All principles of political economy, or

West -- Hongkong Christian Association young anti-opium agitators to change Services for Seamen, on Sundays, at 7.30 their mind at some future day. P.M. and on Fridays, at 7 P.M. ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHURCH.—Rov. there is a wonderful fascination for this J. B. Ost, and Rev. Lo Sam Yuen. (All drug on the part of the Chinese. Apart Litany, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at from its use as a medicine, and Chinese 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 r.M. Preaching, who have not lost-all sense of shame

at 6.30 r. m. Holy Communion, 1st Sunday | will tell you that they take it as such,

in Chinese month. GERMAN BETHESDA CHAPEL -Service in | from its use peculiarly agreeable to the the German language, by Rav. F. Hartmann, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.M., in the life of the Chinese is thoroughly hum-Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House, West Point.

ing Service. Benediction. PEAK CHURCH.—Church of England Services at 5.30 on all Sunday Evenings in the month except the last. Holy Communion Por Thibet, for Yokohama: from Hong- at 8 A.M. on the last Sunday in month. kong, Mr J. M. Armstrong; from London, Presbyterian Service on last Sunday at Messrs A. F. Benson, J. Springer, G. 5.30 P.M.

> MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

8 a.m. - Taichiow leaves for Bangkok. Goods per Glenartney undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Auctions. at the residence of N. A. Siebs, 'The Albany.' Meeting.

5 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Recreation Miscellaneous. Claims against the Principia must be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on or before

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SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG.

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mins, later than at Hongkong; at the Barrier: 3 hrs. 15 mins.; at the Salt Flata: 3 hrs. 30 mins.; at Shameen: 3 hrs. 45 mins.

BIRTH. At Rocklands, Hongkong, on the 7th of June, the Wife of Capt. J. W. STIRLING, Royal Artillery, of a Son.

at 7.40 p. m. The China Mail.

The publication of this issue commenced

HONGKONG, BATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1884.

THE importation of opium into Chine from India, like most burning questions, is much obscured by the smoke that seems necessary to the perfervid cloquence required to carry on this agitation to a successful issue. It may not, therefore, be out of place to present the DAY, the 16th inst., with Mails for documents on the subject, among which we do not include the papers or exparte statements published in the Friend of China, the organ of the Anti-Opium So-2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correst ciety. No doubt the Anti-Opium agitapondence may be posted on board the tion has been under-estimated from the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra first. But those who knew the pertina- The S. S. Radnorshire, from London, left city of its Committee, some of them the lineal descendants of men that worked in shame and obloquy for the abolition The following hours are observed in closing of slavery in our Colonies, knew that if Mails, &c., by the French Contract agitation and a musterful patience could carry a matter to a successful issue it Opium Society has suffered somewhat from the indiscretions of its friends. The NIGHT Box, which is always subject afforded an excellent opportunity for appealing to popular feeling on a minimum of facts, and the consequence was that speakers of eloquent periods allowed their zeal to outrun their discretion and threw descredit on the

agitation. The agitation progressing,

however, many earnest men in and

that a revenue derived from this source

to give atterance to their views, so that

in country hamlets and villages, from

Land's End to John o' Great's, which

than as a cure for the toothacke, became quite learned in the opium controversy, and were indignant at its being feisted on an unwilling people to the rain of body and soul. It was considered as a grave national disgrace. The agitation has spread even into academic halls; nings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain. Morning Service 11, Evening 5. Holy Comfor by the last mail we were informed munion every Sunday, except the 2nd and that the subject had been engerly debated by the Cambridge Union, and that these hard-headed mathematical students, from whom some of our future legislators may, one day, be drawn, had Union Church. - Service, 11 A.M. decided by substantial majorities against Soldiers' Service, 7.30 A.M. - Rev. J. Col- the traffic and for its entire abolition. ville. Service in Chinese, 2 r.m. Rev. J. This incident in itself is not specially important beyond indicating what a Sr. Peter's Church, for Seanen, &c .- hold this agitation is beginning to have LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Queen's Road rather of expediency, may lead these

Whatever may be said to the contrary,

there is a pleasurable excitement derived

Chinese constitution. The ordinary

drum and monotonous; outside busi-St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road .- | ness there is little to occupy their atten-9 A.M. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 P.M. Even- tion, and no doubt this wearying and practical existence accounts to a very great extent for the hold opium-smoking has taken on the people. A native opium-smoker thus describes the sensation of smoking on himself: 'On beginning to partake of the drug, one feels comfortable, the smoke enters the air passages, thence to the lungs, afterwards to the heart, then throughout the whole body, and the body feels pleasure. It is here where immorality comes in. It cures cough and indigestion. and raises the vital spirits where these are absent. At the commencement 2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture | everything is comfortable and improved. After a long time it is unsuccessful in every one of these cases.' It would be all very well if one could stop at the beginning, but this seems not to be in the nature of things, and a practice as innocent as a pipe of tobacco, in susceptible cases, becomes a habit of the most depraved and inveterate kind when the craving is insatiable. There is no blinking the matter, the immoderate drinker and the immoderate opiumsmoker stand on the same platform. No one becomes very wicked all at once. The habit immoderately indulged in-and here we condense from the autobiography of a native opium-smoker well known to foreigners in Peking-injures the powers of body and mind and breaks down the moral sense, and the smokers. if poor, not unfrequently lapse into crime. It delays business, wastes time, squanders money and seriously dimin shes the national wealth; confirmed opium-smokers being non-producers, take from, rather than add to, the common good. It results in the breaking up of homes, the sale of wife and children; it renders life imbecile and miserable and shortens it. Any one acquainted with the inner life of a Cinese city cannot dispute that these things are not so. They are as patent

as the evils of gin-palaces. No one can deny that it does injury. 736 If we ask any of our Chinese acquaintances as to the effects of extreme indulgence there is a unanimous concurrence of opinion. There is besides too visual testimony in Hongkong of the strongest kind. There are cases of men who have been brought up in luxury now crawling along the streets in rags that would shame a scare crow; their effects pawned. every shred of decency gone, their faces of a ghastly hue, their bodies emaciated -body, mind and will irretrievably gone. They are irreclaimable. They are to be found losing about 'divans' of the lowest class, when all at once they disappear, unmourned, uncoffined and ignored. Such is the agitation, and such a popular description of the evils to be removed.

TELEGRAMS. THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN.

LONDON, June 6th. It is reported that Osman Digna with ,000 followers is making preparations to

attack Suakim.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED CANAL!-Hesperia, May 19; Deucalion, May 22. The next American Mail, per the P. M. S. S. Co.'s str. City of Peking, with San Francisco mails to the 15th ultimo, left Yokohama on 4th inst.

at daylight. She may therefore be ex-

pected to arrive here on or about Tuesday, the 10th inst. The next FRENCH MAIL, per the M. M. Co.'s S. S. Peiko, which left Singapore for Saigon and this port on the 7th inst. at B a.m., may be expected to arrive here on or about Saturday, the

14th instant. The S. S. Naples left Sydney for this port on the 3rd instant. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Catterthun left Sydney on the 3rd inst. for this

Singapore on the 5th instant for this DOCK MOVEMENTS :-The Corvette Estephania will go to Cosmopolitan Dock on Monday.

The Swan will go to Kowloon Dock on Monday. The Cassandra will leave Cosmopolitan Dock on Monday. The Marques del Duero will leave Kowloon

Dock on Monday. ORDER OF SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL. --- Trinity sunday, June 8th. Matins :- VIII Morning ; Psalms, 38 & 30 Turle, 40 Turle; To Doum, Boyton Smith; Benedictus, Langdon; Anthem. 'As pants the heart' (Mendelssohn)

Hymn. 160. Evensong:—Psalms, 41 & 42 Nares, Soaper: Service. Wesley in F ; Anthem, 'Ave Verum (Gounod); Hymn, 161-163.

THE M. M. Peiho, with the next French and Australian mails, left Singapore for had known no other use of opium Saigon and this port to-day, at 8 a.m.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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London, via Suez Canal	. Ulvases (s).	Thomuson	Butterfield & Swire	About June 11.
Marseilles, &c., via Saigon	Oxus (s)	Rapatel	Messageries Maritimes	June 12. at noon.
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	Nos. of Shares.	Value.	Paid- up.		LAST REPORT. Wikin account.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quatatrons, Cash.
BANKS. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corporation	60, 000;	§ 125	<b>\$ 12</b> 5	\$4,063,361.66	\$ 57,645.23	£2 o. s.	{ 124 premium.
INSURANCES.  North-China Insurance Company, Limited  Yangtsze Insurance Company, Limited  Union Insurance Society Company, Limited  China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited  Canton Insurance Office Company, Limited	5,000, 8,000, 2,000 24,000 10,000	£ 200 £ 25 \$ 1,250 \$ 83.33	£ 50 £ 25 \$ 125 <b>\$</b> 26	First year £ 50,000 \$ 500,000 \$ 600,000 \$ 55,000	\$ *576,391.99 \$ 107,411.65	18 %- \$18.29+ 22%	Tis. 280 per share Tis. 141 \$550 \$75 buyers \$100 buyers
Chinese Insurance Company, Limited  Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited  China Fire Insurance Company, Limited		3 250	\$ 50	\$ 885,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	( )	\$190 sales \$342 <u>\</u> \$65 sellers
HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Limited	8,000		} ·		\$ 53,691.80	6%	43½ end June, b yer
imo-china S. N. Co., LA. 60,000 sh. issued	18, 387 31, 212	£ 10	£ 8.10		<u></u>	***	25 % dis.
China and Manila S. S. Company, Limited  MISCELLANEOUS.	3,500	\$ 100	all		•••	* ***	par.
Hongkong & Whampon Dock Co., Limited HK. and China Gas Company, Limited	2,000 500 1,900	£ 10 £ 10	\$ 100 £ 10 £ 7.10	\$ 18,000 £ 8,552.17.10	\$ 4,251.58 	4% } 12%	58 prem, end month \$84 per share
Hongkong Hotel Co., Lt., 3,000 sha. issued $\left\{  ight.$	2,000 1,000	8 100 8 50	•••	•••	•••	<b>\$</b> 3	\$145 "
Ohina Sugar Company, Limited	600	§ 100 8 50	\$ 100 \$ 50	\$ 24,250 \$ 6,000		\$10 % for 188 \$10 per shar	\$116 3 \$140 per share 6 \$100 buyers \$90 p. share
Perak Tin Mining & Smelting Co., Limited Selangore Tin Mining Co., Lt. of Shanghai LOANS.	3,000	<b>3</b> 50		Rates of Interest.	First year do.  Payable.		\$190 \$300 sellers
Chinese Imperial 1874	6,276 16,040 3,899 8,565	£ 100 TL 500	all all	8 % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % %	June 30 Dec. 31 Feb. 28 Ag. 31 April & October June 16& Dec. 10		par.

For 6 months to 80th June 1888.—† Dividend for 1882 and Bonus of 25 per cent,—|| For half year ended 81st Dec., 1883.—§ For 1883.

THE U. S. S. Monocasy left the harbour | who had received a thorough training in | Women it, would appear have enthusiasto-day for Shanghai.

brought up before Mr Mackean this morn- posts which may become vacant, lice Constable J. McDougall, who must, local officials that this should be so. one would imagine, be a son of Erin, visited an empty mat shed at 11.20 last night and breach of all established laws of nature the soven days:

THE latest news from Torquin is to the effect that 500 marine fusiliers embarked on the 29th May for Madagascar. Three regiments of the line are also under orders for home. Being volunteers for service in Tonquin they cannot be sent to Madagascar. The present aspect of things in Tonquin bears out our surmise that as soon as a considerable portion of the troops there can be sent away, large reinforcements will be sent to Madagascar to effect a work in that country similar to that performed Tonquin.

His Majesty the Royal tiger is reported to have left the neighbourhood of Wong Nei Chong, which he is said to have visited a fow days since, and was last heard of at Aberdeen. He is supposed to have such a delicate and high toned ear for music that the concert of tom-toms and other earsplitting instruments which was given in his honor by the Wong-nei-chongites was too much for him. Consequently he has gone to the northern watering place for a change of air.

of the steamer between Green Island and satisfaction to all concerned; and the here he has, we believe, studied car fully steamer's action, both as regards steering the wishes of the community, and wherever and steaming properties, reflects great credit possible given them a practical shape. on the builders.

The Rapido was launched about five the necessary supervision over the various months ago. She is 85 feet in length, 16 feet in breadth, and 7 feet 6 inches in depth. Her draught of water, when the useful work, which has long been in abeyhold is completely filled, as it was this ance, will be carried out here during his afternoon, is 6 feet forward, and 7 feet regime, aft. Her engines are compound surface condensing of 45 horse power, non-16 inches in diameter, and a low pressure cylinder 32 inches in diameter, and an eighteen inches stroke. Her beiler can carry 80lbs. steam. She is fitted with all the necessary appliances for towing purposes, and is capable of towing the largest vessels which visit the Far East. Comfortable quarters are provided for the Captain since the burial-place of the composer of and Engineer in the fore part of the while in the after part there is good quarters provided for the crew. The Rapido is to be employed in towing vessels at Hoile; and she is to proceed to that port in company with the Amatista on the 16th instant. She is to be commanded by Captain E. Ynchaustieta, and Mr Muirhead is the Chief Engineer.

Ir is, we believe, a fact that a Mr Cecil Mr Murray on Monday week) by Princess Dudley has been appointed by the Home authorities to the post of Superintendent of greater number than appeared in the Dannthe gaol here. So far as we can learn, Mr Dudley has had no experience in gaol duties. He appears to have been employed during the whole of his official career in Guinea, on the West coast of Africa, his duties ranging from Assistant Inspector in the Gold Coast Constabulary to Acting Inspector-General of the Gold Coast Colony, Among his meritorious employments set out in the Colonial Office List is a special mission to arrest some native king in 1880. Originally position was not a happy contrast to his Mr Dudley appears to have been a lieuten- lown. She could boast no banking account ant in the Royal South Middlesex Militia duties here, he is receiving a few months' i mirers. Graf von X. determined to break Gambling Farm, to which a provisional England.

So far as our knowledge goes there are ledge. He is also not apparently experienced a suitable sphere of duties, but he is not a suitable person to receive the appointment the Home authorities studied the interests of this Colony they would in nan in Hongkong for the post, and, failing that, have sent out at least an individual ink across the label .- Adet.

the management of gaols. The position tically taken to bowling as an amusement of Gaol Superintendent here is a good one, in America. In New York alone there are A NUMBER of members of the Police Force, both in a financial and social sense, and wo forty-three registered bowling clubs for Inspectors, Sergeants and Constables, went cannot believe there would be the slightest ladies, and eight in Brooklyn, four of the over to Kowloon this afternoon to take difficulty in obtaining an experienced man part in an open competetion at the Rifle for the post among the hundreds of officials ber of public places in New York where thoroughly trained in gool work at home or in the colonics. Whenever suitable men A STONE cutter named Li A Luk, was can be found in this Colony to occupy local ing, charged with being 'found in an un- also contend they should have the preoccupied mat shed on the 6th instant. Po- ference over outsiders. It is only fair to

one under consideration appears to be, is found defendant there. For this serious a penalty of being a Crown Colony. If we occupied an independent position, like say unfortunate stone cutter was run in for the Australian colonies, we should have the he was at school he met a charming young privilege of appointing our own officials. The rotten system by which the Colonial Office foists on certain of the British dependencies, as officials, individuals whom influential men'at home are auxious 'to do something,' probably at the expense of others, would then be abolished." colonies where there is responsible government the only official appointed by the home authorities is the Governor.

colonies under responsible government

nies, for while in the latter the Governor nothing daunted, presented the young girl, exercises a paramount influence, in the lively an interest in her as himself. She former the administration is practically in didn't, however, and dismissed the intruder the hands of the leaders of the representative assembly. It must not be imagined, own apartments. from what we have just said, that we are implying dissatisfaction with the government THE rapidity with which 'goolism,' whether of Sir George Bowen. In regard to this practised by mobs or individuals, affects appointment His Excellency was, we be- manners, was curiously illustrated by the iove, in no way responsible for it; indeed performances of a man in Cincinnati who we hear he was anxious that it should tried in vain to catch a street car after be conferred upon a local man. may go further and say that so far as the administration of our present Governor is concerned, we think the community is to be congratulated on the fact few cars, and their conductors are negligent Turs afternoon, the tugboat Rapido, built that Her Majesty's Government has not and engined by Messrs George Fenwick & sent to this Colony another representative Co., made several experimental runs in the | who, although having but little experience harbour with very satisfactory results. At | of the Chinese and none at all of administen minutes to three the anchor was trative work in Hongkong or China, sluggish. I must, therefore, revoke the weighed, and the vessel steered for the sets to work soon after his arrival to Channel Rocks. From there the steamer pro- thrust his notions of how the place ceeded to Green Island, off which she was should be governed down the throats stopped for a short time. After a short of the old officials here, and to effect delay, a start was again made for changes of the most radical nature in the the Black Rock, when excellent results system of government. We cannot imagine were obtained. Throughout the trip the any thing more mischievously affecting engines worked beautifully under the con- the progress and welfare of a Colony, trol of Mr Muirhead, the chief engineer. especially one circumstanced as this The greatest number of revolutions obtained is, than its being burdened with a was 128 per minute, and the average speed succession of Governors, each one bent on carrying out his own pet ideas of administra-Channel Rocks was between ton and cleven | tion, getting at loggerheads with experienced knots an hour against a brisk breeze and a officials, and upsetting the work of his prestrong tide. The runs gave the greatest decessors. Since Sir George Bowen's arrival

SAYS The World :- The bodies of Beea high pressure cylinder theven, Schubert, Glück, and Hayda have just been disinterred from their restingplaces in the suburbs of Vienna, and removed to the Central Cometery. The tombs of the four great innsicians are intended to be grouped round a monument which is to be erected to the memory of Mozart. The remains of Mozart himself cannot be transported to the Centralfeldhof. the "Enchanted Flute" has never yet been

> THE brief memoir of Princess Alice which is prefixed to the German edition of her letters is written by Dr. Shell, a Lutheran pastor at Darmstadt, who enjoyed much confidential intercourse with the lamented Princess during the last few years of her life. The memior has been translated for the English edition (which will be published by Christian, and the revision and editing of the letters (of which there will be a much stadt edition) has been the work of the Queen, aided throughout by Sir Theodore Martin.—The World.

YOUNG Graf von X. of the Prussian cavalry, of sixteen quarterings, but no banking account, engaged himself to a Fräulein who was supposed to have no quarterings, but a large banking account. Shortly before the nuptials, however, the Graf was convinced by a good friend that the Frankein's worldly and had at least sixteen quarterings, these being the segments into which she had already divided her heart with former ad- of crime was directly traceable to the off his engagement, and did it rather neatly; he sent her 20,000 visiting cards. bearing her maiden name!

no Chinese on the Gold Coast. Mr Dudley Ir is high time that all good housewives bling Farm. will come here to superintend the manage- should be more highly educated than in ment in prison of a people of whose habits, former years, if only to be able to detect tricks, language and nature he has no know. the manifold schemes made by unscrupulous manufacturers to aid competition by decepin gaol management. Mr Dudloy may be tion. A case in point has very recently a very estimable and a very capable man in occurred. Various dealers, totally unconnected with Baron Liebig, have been using to the Malay portion. After discussion his name and photograph, and the Liebig Extract of Meat Company have found it of Gaol Superintendent in Hongkong. If | necessary to inform the public that they are the only manufacturers who can offer the article with Baron Liebig's guarantee of genuineness. It therefore behoves all first instance have endeavoured to find a housekeepers to insist upon seeing the name | condemned. of the Company on the jar, and the facsimile of Baron Liebig's signature in blue

latter having connexion with young people's church societies, while there are any numprivate alley is reserved for lady patrons. Some of the older clubs for ladies have adopted a very comfortable uniform of navy blue flannel, very much like the lawntennis costumes, save that the skirts are in the shape of very roomy pantaloons, the bottoms of which reach to the shoe tops. The 'Evangeline' Club gives fortnightly receptions at its elegantly fitted-up alley, when gentlemen friends are admitted and Such questionable appointments as the invited to bowl.

THE poor Prince Leopold, who died the other day, had only one remance. When American girl and became greatly pleased with her, taking no pains to conceal his admiration. Finding one day that the lady and her family were going to Windsor to see the castle, he cluded his tutor, and as the family were passing through the 'show' rooms, he appeared and took charge of his charmer acting as guide in the intricacies of the royal apartments. Having the advantage of the rost of the party, the Prince grandually led his companion into one of the rooms not generally open to visitors, there he began gravely to point out the Even in regard to their Governors the pictures of his ancestors. As he was talking the curtains were drawn aside and his mother, the Queen, entered, naturally in a better position than the Crown colo- enough very much surprised. The Prince, evidently expecting the Queen to take as with some aspority, sending her off with a lackey and marching Master Leopold to his

> dark. Failing to overtake it or to attract the attention of the conductor, he took out his revolver, and fired two shots at it. He probably reasoned somewhat in this way: The management of these car companies has long been intolerable. They run too and insolent. This fellow is not I oking out for passengers as he ought to be, or he would have seen me. Complaining of him at the office, even if I knew his number. would do no good, for they are all thieves together. The courts, too, are corrupt and powers which I have delegated to the offlcials of this State and city for my protection, and must stop this car in the natural way in which cars were stopped by primeval before States were founded.' So bing, bang went his pistol. It is a pity, almost, that he should have been arrested before the conductor and the passengers had dissolved their connection with the State, and begun to pepper him in self-defence. - Nation.

North Borneo. (From a Correspondent.) I send you the prices realised at the land

sale here on the 20th April :-Sea-frontage lots at Elopura, 33 feet by 66 feet; rent \$6 per annum. There were

two of these lots, No. 69 sold for \$115, and No. 70 for \$105. The upset price was \$100 Town lots, third block, each 33 feet by

If His Excellency continues to excreise 66 feet; Nos. 114 to 120; upset price \$50 per lot. No. 114 sold for \$125; 115, \$80; departments-which we have no doubt he 116, \$75; 117, \$70; 118, \$60; 119, \$70; will-a very considerable amount of and 120, \$70.

I hear that the North Borneo Company will not be represented at the Edinburgh Forestry Exhibition.

An already largely-signed petition is in circulation in and around Sandakan, protesting against the severity of the law, the administration of which has, and is, causing dissatisfaction. The petition is written in three languages, namely, Chinese, Malay to the room and found the defendant

A meeting of Chinese merchants has been held at Elopura to consider what steps could be taken to remedy the unsatisfactory basis of the British North Bornco coinage. The trouble is that the copper coinage (there is no other) accumulates in merchants' hands, and can be only cleared off at great loss. It was resolved to ask Mr Fung Ming Shan to go to Labuan and lay bail in two sureties of \$250 each. the case before H. E. the Governor, and accordingly the former proceeded there; the result has not yet transpired.

A crowded meeting of the residents of Elopora has been held at the Rest House, to confer on the expected re-opening of the Gambling Farm. Mr J. J. Morrison, of the China Sabah Land Farming Company, was voted in the chair. After reading the notice calling the meeting he said: We have assembled to consider the question of the re-opening of the Gambling Farm, and shall be glad to have some of the sentiments of the meeting on the subject. might say that the subject of gambling is not one that requires from me any special harangue; we are, in fact, all of us but too

conversant with its pernicious effects, Mr J. MacLean agreed with the Chair prisoner entered his house 14 Ewo Street, man, and added that the recent increase license had been given. He proposed: That this preeting views with alarm the probability of the re-opening of the Gam-

Mr Sun Kwong Loong: I have much pleasure in seconding that. The resolution was then put to the meet-

ing, and carried unanimously, Mr Moses E. Abrahamson then spoke at some length, addressing himself particularly amongst the Hadjis and head men, Mr Abrahamson proposed: 'That the special legislation for the countenance of gambling is a policy which cannot be too strongly

One of the Hadjis seconded, and the re- The Cor'ner would sit upon Jack ! solution was unanimously adopted.

Mr Kee Wo said that a gambler was not only his own enemy, but his more prudent brother's savings were not safe. Gambling paper :was a great incentive to crime, and he was sorry to see the Borneo Company fester this thing. Ho then proposed: 'That this meeting petition H. E. the Governor, requesting the abolition of the Gambling sent to the Directorate in London.'

Carried unanimously.

RESIDENT'S OFFICE.

W. B. Pryer. Resident of the East Coast. John Morrison, Esq., Chairman of a Public Meeting held on the 3ist ultimo.

letter of instructions to me on the subject.

ent servant.

Sandakan, 9th April, 1884.

resolutions to the Chairman.

gambling license is issued for one only and will not be renewed if evil couse- rope and America by a substantial pontoon | He may be stopped by a woman who will quences are found to ensue. It affects of oil along which the sharp-prowed Cunar- say to him in an indignant tone: 'Give

as a steamer on the Mississippi. The Governor thinks it unnecessary to go into the vexed question of gambling legislation, but it may be mentioned that he asked the opinion of three English tobacco planters at Sumatra and they were decidedy in favor of gambling being regulated by law, it being found impossible to gradicate it among a population composed of Chinese. Î have, &c., D. D. DALY,

Private Secretary. W. B. Pryer, Esq., Resident.

> Police Intelligence. (Before A. G. Wise, Esq.) Saturday, June 7.

A single woman named Ip Chun Ho, was charged with stealing \$776, the monies of Leung Akwai, a merchant, on the 16th

Mr. Caldwell appeared for complainant,

and Dr. Hokai for the defendant. Complainant lives at 21 Wing Kat Lane. At the beginning of the year he was trading with Shanghai, and then occupied the whole of No. 27 Wing Wo St., and had also one room in the adjoining house for defendant to live in. Defendant was his concubine. On the 14th Feb. he gave \$776 to defendant, felling her to put it into her box to keep for him. Complainant took the key of the box, and told defendant not to leave the room during the day. On the morning of the 16th complainant opened the box before defendant and found the money all right. About 1 the same day complainant went gone, the lock of the box broken the box empty. Defendant's clothing and jewellery were also taken away, and the defendant had not returned to the house since then. She belonged to Aberdeen, and complainant had offered a reward for her by the tail discovery. Complainant then produced his books to show the receipt of the money which he had deposited in defendant's box. He had no safe in his shop, and the box was a tin one. Complainant had a wife in Wing Wo St., but seldom visited her. The case was remanded till the 12th inst.

(Before E. Mackean, Esq.)

Wong Ahe and Ohu Asam, were convicted of stealing a tea pot, value \$1.50. on the 4th inst. The defendants were engaged to carry some porcelain ware from the house of Mr Sagabi to Mr Armstrong's in Queen's Road, and appear to have opened the box in which the porcelain was packed and extracted the teapot on the way. Defendants were sent to gaol for three veeks' hard labour.

Chun Achung, who described himself as silversmith, was charged with entering the house of Mr A. Bain, manager of the Hongkong Laundry, and stealing a writing desk and its contents, and two bronze ornaments, altogether of the value of \$30. Complainant gave evidence to the effect that about 9.30 a.m. on the 6th inst., the and ran off with a pair of bronze ornaments up his sleeve. Another man, who got away, carried off the writing desk, but dropped it as he ran.

Several previous convictions were proved against the prisoner, and he was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard

WEATHER REPORT .-- A clap of thunder. The keynote of good-breeding is B natural. A Dressing Cash. - A tailor's suit at law E. A. I' to recover a debt.

If Little Jack Horner, Who sat in the corner When eating his Christmes pie, Had been choked by the plum He pulled out with his thumb, Then Little Jack Horner would die ! And the nursery verse You would have to reverse It would go on a different tack, For no longer Jack Horner Would sit in the cornerOIL ON THE WATERS.

A patent for casting oil upon the troubled | arrest i deduced from experience. Mr. Shields, of help him in any way. London, has obtained a patent on an Mr Morrison asked if it would not be apparatus for oiling the ocean to mitigate ried his wife's sister, and abandoned hor advisable for a deputation to wait on Mr. storm dangers. He has exhibited his inven- afterwards P. Pryer, the Resident (cries of 'we'll all go.') tion through an exercise of its powers in The whole assembly then arose and pro- English waters, effectually subduing the ceeded to the Government House, and Mr perturbations of the covered compass of the tion, I see. Now tell us .... &c. Pryor, having signified his assent to receive Channel. By his machine oil is forced them, the party, which by this time had through pipes under the water surface, and newspapers :considerably increased, were arranged in rising quickly seems to calm the commotion | Hammersmith Police Court (2nd March semi-circular form. Mr Pryer then came in its struggle to the top. The effect was 1883).-A soldier is accused of bigamy. The forward and was made acquainted by Mr remarkable. The rough, chopping waves first witness is a policeman, who states that Morrison with the resolutions passed by were subdued to a gentle, undulating on the way to the police-station the accused the assembly, and the Resident was also motion in which the life-beat rode lightly, said to him, I did not know I had been asked for an expression of his own opinion. while before it had been dancing about like married a second time. I had been drunk This request Mr Pryer refused, alleging a cork. Mr Shields has an 'oil shell' that for a fortnight, and I did not have the that his own opinion would not influence may be used as a projectile, to be banns published. It was only yesterday anybody. He promised to forward the stored on board ship. In an emer- found out that I had got married again last resolutions to His Excellency, and a vote of | gency its time fuses, made water-proof, are | Thursday." thanks to the Chairman brought the meet- lighted, it is flung from an ordinary sixinch mortar, and sent to the point of have you to say? Subsequently the following replies were delivery with reasonable accuracy. The shells burst, and almost immediately there rated from my wife, to whem I allow one is formed an area of undisturbed water and ninepence a week by order of my colodescribed as the 'oil field,' and the radius | nel : I am living with another woman. The Sir,-I-have the honour to inform you covered by a gallon of oil may be approxi- other day, this woman threatened to throw

to His Excellency the Governor copies of one drop will diffuse itself over a square marry her. Then we had something to the resolutions (passed at the public moet- yard. Another feature of the invention is drink together, and it seems we went to ing of the 31st ultime, of which you were in line of gutta-percha tubing pierced at church and got married. Chairman) against a Gambling Farm, and intervals with valves. This may be at- I read in a case of the same kind the fol at the same time copy of a petition in favor | tached by lanyard to a solid shot and laid | lowing statement (Excter Western News) :-of it. I have now the honour to enclose by the discharge of the projectile. When copy of a letter from the Secretary to the the tube-and this is intended for shallow were not ashamed to go to the altar with a Governor in reply. In accordance with water—has settled, oil is pumped into it dranken man?' this letter a license has been issued for one from the shore or ship end, forced through month for gambling on certain conditions | the valves, rises to the surface, and pro- | been drunk, he wouldn't have gone." in compliance with His Excellency's formal | duces comparative smoothness on the water | I know a worthy Englishman who, not surface. The several experiments were long ago, married a fourth wife, of whom I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedi- satisfactorily made, and greatest interest is he is the third husband; he is but sixty felt in more extensive tests than will be years old, and may fairly hope to make up made in ocean disturbance. If the results his half dozen. are equally decisive there, the perils of ocean travel will be so materially reduced that land. All the men marry : some for love, trose remaining will not be allowed to some for money, and some from a sense count. It might be interesting to carry to duty. It is a debt they owe to society. I a conclusion the possible advantage gained is not that they are fond of women, for, by a liberal use of these machines for a like Solomon, they generally abuse them. Sir, -The copy of the resolutions passed | term of years. The oil appears to be an | Women will never forgive the magnificent at a meeting held in Sandakan on the 31st economic force, since a drop is equal to the Hebrew monarch for having spoken surface of a square yard of water. How ill of their sex, after having married license, signed by 49 people, reached the many gallons would be necessary to give seven hundred of them, and even add-Governor vesterday evening, simultaneously the entire ocean a repressive coating, and ed to that number three hundred conwith a counter petition, signed by 51 what would be the absorption to be over- cubines. Men, on the contrary, consider In compliance with the request contained The most turbulent and demonstrative longht to be the best authority on the subin resolution No. 3 the Governor will have locean might in a term of years be reduced liest much pleasure in forwarding a copy of the to the most approved pacification, serviceable A woman alone is safer in the streets of at all seasons and under all conditions of London than an unprotected male. A You may inform the petitioners that the travel. This would practically be an equiv- woman risks having her purse stolen;

> JOHN BULL AND HIS ISLAND. There is nothing like a good fine of a few thousands of france to strip a man of that halo of chivalry and romance that a sword in the hand surrounds him with. The duel is treated seriously in France, where, for that very reason, it is not likely to die out just directly. For my part, this is how I understand duelling: 'Sir.' wrote a German jour-

> nalist to a Russian one a short time ago, vour article upon German women is infamous. I deeply regret that the distance which separates us prevents my boxing your ears as you deserve, but I beg you to take the will for the deed, and to consider yourself well and daly cuffed, by your humble and obedient servant.'-- The Russian replied by return of post: 'Sir, just at the time when you were cuffing me, the happy idea of drawing a revolver from my pocket and blowing your brains out on the anot occurred to me: I therefore beg you to consider yourself as quite dead and duly buried. Your very humble and bedient

The polygamist, who is punished France with from five to ten years' penal ervitude, gets off with a few months imprisonment in England; indeed he is oftenest acquitted. In this country, where desertion is so frequent in married life, where marriage is so easy, and the registre de l'Etat civil is unknown, the accused person can always, with good chance of success, plead the departure of the spouse ignorance of his or her existence. People set out for Canada, Australia, or New Zealand, maybe get wrecked; or they ever arrive in port, do not give any more account of themselves. Such cases are happening daily. In France, with our administrative organisation, a debter or bankrupt has no chance of escape; in England, you would more easily catch a sparrow

Moreover, laws and customs in England encourage marriage. Concubinage is rare, except among the lower classes; the formalities of marriage are so elementary that it is really not worth while to dispense with them; and so, instead of taking a mistress, a man marries. An Englishman may marry his wife's sister without binding himself to anything. He takes her to church, presenta her to the clergyman as Miss So-and-so, and is married to her. The marriage is illegal, and he may marry again as he

Lextract the following lines from an account

counsel for the defence. Courier de Lyon, 'cheer up, old fellow! are.' Witness | That's respectable, at any rate! | me one this winter.' I know I did In England, the position of a witness is no enviable one, I can assure you. Whether with the increased price and the scarciyou be on the side of plaintiff or defendant, ty of money. I expect it will cripple you will have to submit to a crossexamination at the hands of the counsel of daughter, then said, as she classed the adverse side, and you will pass an uncomfortable quarter of an Lour. See what you think of the following :-

of women than the accused. I believe.' Witness. - 'No.' you not?

Counsel .- But you must answer it. Witness .- 'Well, then, I think I did.' Counsel .- You married Miss Mary Jane E., did you not?'. Witness .- 'I did.'

Counsel .- 'Is she still alive ?' well, yes, she is still alive.' Connel.—'Did you marry in 1879 !" Witness .- 'I did.' Counsel - Was the lady's name Miss

wife's sister : the marriage was illegal, not? How old are you? Wi ness .- Thirty-two.

Counsel. - When did your first wife die !" Witness. - 'In 1876. Counsel.- Nevertheless, you married lier eister in 1875 i' Witness.—'I did. Counsel.—' Are these the only women

you have married?" Witness .- Yes. Counsel. - Are you quite sure ?

Witness, - 'Perfectly sure.'

Counsel. - You tall us that you think the We find the following in a late American accused guilty. How came you to treat him as a friend up to the moment of his

waters is certainly a nevelty, but will hardly Witness .- I do not see why one should occasion surprise in this day and generation. | cease to treat a man as a friend because he The wonder will rather be that we have has committed a fault. I would be friendly been so long in finding out that the with a man who had committed the greatest Farm, and that copies of the resolutions be Scriptural metaphor was a literal fact crime in the world if by so doing I could

Counsel .-- What I even if he had mar-Witness .- ' Cortainly.'

Counsel.- You are an excellent Chris-

I extract the following lines from the

The Magistrate to the Prisoner .- What

Prisoner. - Your worship I have sepahat I vesterday forwarded to the Secretary | mated with the basis of calculation that all my clothes out in the street if I did not

The Judge to Witness.—'How is it von

Witness .- 'Well! my lord, if he hadn'

There are very few old bachelors in Engcome in covering once it was secured? that, having had so much experience, he Hongkong, 6th June, 1884.

alent to bridging the Atantic, uniting Eu- | man risks more; he risks his reputation; ders could move as gracefully and securely | me five shillings, or I will call a policeman. You have insulted me!' Or, it may be, a young girl, often a little girl, who will come up to you and politely ask you to tell her the time. Without suspecting harm, you take out your watch and you are immediately surrounded by several individuals who rob you, or accuse you of having insulted the girl. Dreading a scandal, you pay rather than he dragged into an unpleasant affair. There exist thousands of poonly who live by this kind of highway robbery; who are always on the watch for persons whose respectable appearance seems to mark them as easy victims of such informal machinations. know few men in London to whom this kind of adventure has not happened once at least. The parks and the Thames Embankment especially are places that every man who values his honour should carefully avoid, even in broad daylight. Nover | (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, sit down alone out of doors; never speak to a child of the lower class; and, if ever you should fall into a trap of the kind, pay on the spot; do not hesitate an instant, for the police will not help you, and the Police Court magistrates, who are the failures of the English Bar, wil simply say to you : 'I am quite willing to believe that you are not guilty, but what did you go into a park This is a literal quotation: I heard

> it myself. The Englishman does not stroll about. When his business is finished, he goes home at a brisk pace, and never walks out in the evening. Af night-fall, the parks and unfrequented places are entirely given up to thieves and prostitutes, and the police take no notice of it. There still exist in London large neighbourhoods into which it would be dangerous to venture even at mid-day, unless you were accompanied by detectives. These are curious sights to be seen in John Bull's capital, and the Scotland Yard authorities will always obligingly provide you with two or

> three guides, if you care to visit them. If, in this anta' nest of nearly five millions of souls, Scotland Yard took it into its head to stamp out the dens of robbers. the number of policemen would have to be more than doubled. It is preferred to trust to the good sense, wisdom, and economical principles of respectable peop! who already find the taxes quite heavy enough, and prefer to avoid risking themselves in the parks and other public resorts set aside as hunting ground for pickpockets and street prostitutes.

'Father,' she said, as the old man sank into an easy chair after a hard day's work of the cross-examination of a witness by the lat his office, 'I noticed in the evening paper that sealskin mantles are advancing | Wlostock 29.85 50.2 - | SE | 1 | of | 'A witness,' cries Pierre Chopart in the in price.' 'So they are, my dear; so the And you know you promised to buy he replied, 'and I will keep my word. Bu me somewhat.' 'I was thinking,' hi pair of soft white arms about his neck if it would not be better to wait until nex winter. My old cloak will do very well. Counsel. - You have had more experience and perhaps scalakin mantles will be cheaper then? The old man groaned in anguish of spirit, and murmured to himself : Counsel. -- You got married in 1875, did 'My worst fears are realised.' In the morn ing the young woman was tenderly taken Witness .- I decline to answer that to an insane asylum, where it is believed Barometer ..... that with proper care she may ultimately

recover der reason, HE was a book agent. He rang a door- Di'tion of wind bell, and a woman who was sweeping opened | Force the door so suddenly that he fell off the step and nearly lost his best equilibrium. But he was a book agent, and he recovered Witness .- 'No, she is dead; (recollect- his momentum and said fluently; 'I am ing himself) I should say, that is to say sgent for the most celebrated book ever offered to the public since "Uncle Tom's Cabin" was written, and filled useful hints of things that cannot be found inside the covers of any other book and with recipes for cooking and family prayers, and how to Witness. - My second wife was my first keep moths out of furs, and some fine poems vife's sister: the marriage was illegal.' by well-known and popular writers, and you Counsel.—'That makes three, does it can give me your order to-day and heedn't pay for it till next June, or ou the instalment plan, which is cheaper than going without, and the name of it is Three Million Hints, or Inquire Within How to Make Home Happy. Oh, yes, said the woman, smiling sweetly. How to Make Home Happy." I have one already, and she looked at the broom in her hand with dreamy eyes. He fell off the doorstep again, and this time he didn't recover till cate any increase over the average of their there was a block between them. - Detroit signification.

Only a pin And it calmly lay

> In the shining light Of a bright noon day. Only a boy. He saw that pin, And fixed on it a look intent. Till boy, and pin, alike were bent

ONLY A PIN

Only a chair— It had no business standing there, The boy he put on a fiendish grin, And on the seat of that chair he fixed that pin.

Only a man, He sat on that chair. And as he rose-So did his hair.

Only a yell! But an honest one: It lacked all elements of fun. And man, and boy, and pin, and chair In wil | confusion mingled there. -The Arkansaw Traveller.

Dead Letters.

Anhuth, Mr Wm.,-Hongkong,..... Bassett, Miss K.,-London,.... Bowling, Mr A., -London, ..... Brandt, Mr R.,—Hongkong,.... Chisholm, Mr A.,—Bristol,.... Gilbert, Mr J. H., -Birkenhead, .... Gore, Mr E. G., -Adelaide, .....(s.) 1 Gotta, Mr Wm., -Liverpool, ..... Hairo. Mr E. O. G., -Gosport, ...... 1 James, Mr G. ,-Cardiff,... Jobling, Mr H., -Tynemouth,.... Jones, Capt. E.,—Aden,.... Kennedy, Miss M.,-Arnudel,.... Kling, Mr C ..- London, .... Lawrence, Mr H.,-Hongkong, 1 L ndsay, Mr C.,-London,..... 1

Schereschowsky, Rev. Dr S. S. J .. \_ Schmidt, Mr A.,-Hongkong,....(8.) 1 Scott, Mr J., London, .... Smith, Mrs E., -Stockton-on-Tees, ... (s.) 1 White, Capt. W.,-Hongkong,..... 1 The above letters have been returned from various places at which the addresses cannot be found, or have been refused. If not claimed within ten days, they will be opened and returned to the writers. General Post Office,

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has risen and the Humidity has decreased Gradients indicate moderate E.S.E. winds. W. DOBERCE. Government Astronomer.

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Hongkong Observatory, June 7. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER Previous | On date | On date Station. . at 4 p.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m. 20,73 29,82

W. DOBERCK, Government Astronomer. Hongkong Observatory, June 7.

1. BAROMETER, reduced to 82 degrees Fahrenheit, and to the level of the ses in inches, tenths and hundredths. 2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees. and tenths, Fahrenheit. 8. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being

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7. RAIN, in inches, tenths and hundredths.

Mails.

'AN IDYL' Arabella was a school girl-So was Sally Ann, Hasty pudding can't be thicker Than two school girls can.

These were thick as school girls can be Deathless leve-they swore. Vowed that naught on earth should part them, One for evermore.

They grew up as school girls will do, Went to parties, too, And as oft before has happened, Suitors came to woo.

As fate or luck would have it, One minguided man Favored blue-eyed Arabella More than Sally Ann. And, of course, it made no difference

And the cause—a man,

Wishes Sally had.

-Paul Carson.

That the laws are such, ... That he could not wed two women, Though they wished it much. So a caldness rose between them,

Cold was Arabella-very-Colder Sally Ann. Now they call each other 'creature, What is still more sad-Bella, though she won the treasure,

THE JAPANESE IN NEW YORK. change of views and to keep pace with the it may be used for all sorts of domestic ments. progress, which they recognize as a part implements, even those that are subjected | PAYMENTS must be made here in Eng-Hamburg, Melbourne, Australia and other one to her bosom and rapturously contemplat- will never be without one again." From will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from cities. The officials are, of course, Japanese, ed its almond-shaped eyes and cunning | Ceylon Civil Servant. but they speak the English language mouth. fluently. The remark is likewise true of merchants and their clerks in the business;

Powers that are moving abreast on the York Herald. tide of civilization, and whatever conduces to his own or his people's welfare is a partof his study. It is for this reason that you will find him well read in everything but New York politics, and a patron of the mechanical, agricultural and railway magazines, and of general literature. converses, in short, like a well-educates gentleman, and is better posted on practical subjects than half of our own people.

JAPANESE MANUFACTURES. 'Are there many Japanese business houses in this country! asks the reporter. There are several. Among them in this city are two silk establishments. branches of the Doshin and Yamato companies, and four firms engaged in the importation and sale of porcelain, lacquer ware, fancy goods and toys. There are also Japanese houses in Boston, Chicago and San Francisco, besides many other places where our merchandisc is sold by Americans or foreigners who have their representatives in the Empire.'

valuable article of importation? · raw silk and silkworm eggs, the manu- disordered liver and dyspepsia. Acknowhigh degree of perfection, which is all the more to be appreciated as the spinning and perfect as that in America and Europe. What is the amount of the importation

of the raw silk !" 'Roughly estimated, I should say, about twelve thousand bales per annum, but of course this sum varies from year to year. Each of these bales weighs 120 pounds and contains twenty-five books or bundles, each of which in turn contains thirty skeins. It is brought from different districts to Yokohama. The factories also buy the cocoons and reel for themselves according to the size it is desirable to put on the market. Cocoons are frequently sent out to the families of the small farmers, who do their reeling by hand in the manner which I have described; and in many instances the farmers raise their own coccons and dispose of the results to the commission merchants.1

'Does the price of this material vary 'It does at times. For instance, 1876, the China crop being short, the silk market went up until the price per picul (about one hundred and thirty-three pounds) was 1,300 Mexican dollars. In about three months it went down to \$500. The demand on the part of the manufacturers had suddenly decreased. The present price per picul ranges from \$485 to \$650, according to the quality. You will probably understand that there are certain | Chemists. grades of goods to which Japanese silk gives peculiar life and elasticity. On the other hand, there is a kind of goods in which it cannot be used to advantage, as. for instance, twist, such as is used for butin France, Italy and China the worms are hair restorer. affected by a peculiar disease which destroys them. The worm generally dogen-

A JAPANESE WAREHOUSE. not without curious interest. The clerks | natural shade, and is quite harmless. Valuin attendance are young men, usually able for destroying scurf and encouraging under thirty years of age-a much older growth of new bair. Sold everywhere. one in America is a rura avis-and with

erates after the first year.'

almost womanly gentleness describe the various articles of virtu or use in the establishment. Unlike our own people they never press anything on an unwilling customer. On the contrary, they are the essence of politoness and act as if you were 4 Guildhall Chambers, 33, Businghall St., doing them a favour which it is out of their power to requite. The shelves and DASSAGES .- Better berths can be obcounters present the appearance of a L tained through us by all lines than form and method of construction, the themselves. Reductions obtained whon army of porcelain, stone ware, vases, possible. No charge is made, every trouble statues, heavily lacquered furniture and is taken to secure the best berths, and emsmaller objects, such as tea sets, trays, barkation notices, list of passengers, &c. secretaries and escritoires are representa- furnished. Upon application the fullest tive of the best work of the Empire, and information as to outgoing steamers furshow the wonderful skill of the manufac- nished. turers, while the display of fans and um- BAGGAGE.—We wish to lay before NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS ornaments and a thousand articles of bric- from any part of the United Kingdom at a à brak arrest the eye by the neatness of through rate to the vessel. Passengers can their workmanship and the harmonious send their heavy baggage in advance and commonest objects are made attractive.

enters so generally into Japanese uso is and placed on board a few days before the | Cargo and Specie will be registered for the product of a tree, and requires but few | Steamer starts. work to which it is applied. It is sap re. Animals insured against mortality in transulting from incisions in the bark after the sit at moderate rates. three has become five years old, and flows ARRIVAL IN ENGLAND.-When adnot unlike that of our American maple. At | vised by letter beforehand our representadarkens when exposed to the air, and gra- baggage, thereby saving the heavy expenses the 11th June, 1884. (Parcels are not dually assumes a dark brown and almost if warehoused even for a few days. Clear to be sent on board; they must be left at black colour. Additional incisions are lists of contents of packages and particu- the Agency's Office.) made every three or four days, until the lars of dutiable articles should be prepared. tree being covered, it is cut down at the PARCELS, PACKAGES AND GOODS quired. The Japanese in New York constitute a end of the season, and the wax is submitted received by us and forwarded by next outlittle colony by themselves. They are to further treatment. This consists of the going vessel or by route most advantageous Company's Office. mostly merchants engaged in the impor-introduction of colouring matter, gold leaf, to clients. Insurances effected upon the tation of raw silk, tea, lacquer ware and shell, pearl, and whatever may be desired smallest article. All information given to bric-à-brac, or are engaged in official po- for ornamental purposes. It is then applied friends at home as to mode of packing sitions or as students in some of our colleges. in successive layers and allowed to dry. The necessary, proper address &c. See Pay-All told, there are probably thirty-live process of hardening takes place in a dark ments. persons, one of the number, and but one, and damp atmosphere. The finest lacquer | GOODS purchased at lowest rates in the being a lady, the wife of the Japanese Con- is made in Tokio, while the cheaper articles | London markets. Orders executed for any sul. They have a club room on Sixth avenue, are manufactured in the interior. The art | article, however small, but to effect saving near Twenty-first street, and here they is already more than a thousand years old, in freight it is advisable to clump orders as assemble like a happy family after the and pieces of that age are said to be still much as possible. Any article received for

black hair, eyes and olive complexion, small | the coast of Japan, at a depth of twenty-five | handed over against payment of account. feet and hands, he reminds you of a fathous, and its Japanese freight went to MISCELLANEOUS.—We will carry out Passengers and Freight for Japan, the Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms indicative of sound scholarship and thorough | C. T. Hook, s.s. 1 Cuban, while in his dress he is the embodi- the bottom. Eighteen months afterward any description of miscellaneous business ment of the best of current taste, divers succeeded in recovering a large which requires attention in England. Letand in his deportment the bean ideal of amount of lacquer ware of good quality. It ters may be addressed to our care. Price portation to Yokohama and other Japan ceived, and transmitted to the Directors a gentleman. Their business is con- was found that, notwithstanding the long lists of any special articles forwarded if Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and for their decision. ducted in accordance with the best Euro- time it had been under water, the woodwork, requested. Orders for the Co-operative Inland Cities of the United States, via Overpean and American methods, a system the gold painting and the lacquer coatings | Stores received, executed and shipped. which they acquired before leaving home were in an admirable state of preservation, To show in some measure what we can Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central Life. as the sons of large merchants and the | while the locks and ornaments made of silver | do with regard to inclusive prices we give | and South America, by the Company's and | heads of mercantile departments. Their had changed color and were nearly ruined. below the following. bank, the Yokohama Specie Bank, of This, said the informant, 'explains why which Mr Teisaku Takaki is the agent, the material is in such general use among in Hougkong (including stove, wrapper, 2 England, France, and Germany by all affords the means of direct exchange and is the middle and higher classes in our counone of the wealthiest corportions in that try, and why, if it were as well known here, and Tub) duty and all charges paid, packed city, having a special capital of \$4,000,000. it would eventually take the place of some and insured against all risks, at the follow- have paid full fare, re-embarking at San An inquiry at the institution revealed the of the useful metals for household purposes. | ing rates fact that a considerable number of American | He might have added that there are already and German me chants who deal with the many American families who have adopted Japanese Empire do their business through Lapanese goods in one shape or another, this medium. There are branches of the and as for the ridiculous looking dolls there institution in London, San Francisco, isn't a baby in the land who hasn't hugged

come to stay, added the reporter in conclu- the Duke of Buckingham &c. In three ostablishments, but as a rule there is also among the attaches an American book- the Japanese are fond of Americans and of charges paid, securely packed in wood and will be received at the office until 5 p.m., their country. But for them we probably One of the peculiarities of the Japanese | should not be here to-day, or have changed is that whatever you find him he has an our customs and adopted so many of the imeye to improvement. He realizes that his provenments of the western world that have nation has taken her place among the great | promoted our prosperity as a nation.'-New

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